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The reply filed on March 15, 2003 for application serial number 09/482598 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant has not responded to the Draftsperson's objections cited on form PTO 948 mailed June 5, 2002. A replacement drawing is needed for figure 3, note page 2 of correspondence mailed December 17, 2003. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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